



NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Electronic proposals for the following project will be received through the internet using Bid Express until the date and time stated below and. will be posted on www.bidx.com forthwith after the bid submission deadline. No paper copies of bids will be accepted. Bidders must have a valid digital ID issued by MassDOT in order to bid on projects. Bidders need to apply for a Digital ID at least 14 days prior to a scheduled bid opening date with Bid Express.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2014 at 2:00 P.M.

CHELSEA

Construction of the Silverline Gateway Busway, BRT Stations and Bridge Replacement (Steel) Br. No. C-09-001 Washington Avenue over the MBTA Railroad (604428)

PROJECT VALUE = \$38,260,000.00

Bidders must be pre-qualified by the Department in the HIGHWAY-CONSTRUCTION category to bid on the above project. An award will not be made to a Contractor who is not pre-qualified by the Department prior to the opening of Proposals.

Contractors intending to bid on this project must first complete a "Request for Proposal Form"(R-109 Form) and e-mail an electronic copy of this document to the MassDOT Director of Prequalification for approval. Please e-mail these documents to prequal.r109@state.ma.us

Blank "Request for Proposal Forms"(R-109 Forms) can be obtained at <http://www.massdot.state.ma.us/highway/Departments/PrequalificationofHorizontalConstructionFirms.aspx> Select the link "Request for Official Proposal Form (R-109 Form)"

Upon approval, the official bidder shall be entitled to receive an officially numbered Compact Disc (CD) containing the plans and specifications, free of charge. Other interested parties may also receive an informational copy of the CD containing the plans and specifications, free of charge. It should be noted that informational copies can not be used for bidding purposes. The bidding for and award of the contract for this project is to be in accordance with the requirements of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30 § 39M.

All parties who wish to have the CDs shipped to them must provide a

completed mailing label with an approved carrier account number for overnight mail service (i.e. - Federal Express) to the MassDOT Bid Document Distribution Center, Room 6261, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116.

A Proposal Guaranty in the amount of 5% of the value of the bid is required either using BidX's online form or by separately submitting an electronic copy of the Proposal Guaranty via e-mail to MassDOTBidBonds@dot.state.ma.us

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Bidders are on notice that this project is subject to the schedule of prevailing wage rates as determined by the Commissioner of the Massachusetts Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Occupational Safety.

Plans will be on display and information will be available at the MassDOT Boston Office and at the District Office in BOSTON.

This Contract contains price adjustments for hot mix asphalt and Portland cement mixtures, diesel fuel, and gasoline. For this project the base prices are as follows: liquid asphalt \$610.00 per ton, Portland cement \$118.00 per ton, diesel fuel \$3.419 per gallon, and gasoline \$3.341 per gallon. MassDOT posts the **Price Adjustments** on their Highway Division's website at <http://www.massdot.state.ma.us/Highway/> under the following link sequences:

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Price Adjustments

STEEL PRICE ADJUSTMENT

This Contract contains Price Adjustments for steel. See Document 00813 - PRICE ADJUSTMENT FOR STRUCTURAL STEEL AND REINFORCING STEEL of the Special Provisions for their application.

The Base Prices for these items on this project are as follows:

Rebar

ASTM A615/A615M Grade 60 (AASHTO M31 Grade 420) Reinforcing Steel = \$0.37 per pound

Castings

ASTM A27 (AASHTO M103) Steel Castings = \$0.37 per pound

Structural Steel

ASTM A709 (AASHTO M270) Grade 50 Structural Steel Plate = \$0.53 per pound

ASTM A709 (AASHTO M270) Grade 50 Structural Steel Shapes = \$0.43 per pound

ASTM A709 (AASHTO M270) Grade 50W Structural Steel Plate = \$0.64 per pound

ASTM A709 (AASHTO M270) Grade 50W Structural Steel Shapes = \$0.45 per pound

ASTM A328/328M, Grade 50 (AASHTO M202) Steel Sheetpiling = \$1.01 per pound

ASTM A572/A572M, Grade 50 Sheetpiling = \$1.01 per pound

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BID SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

Bids shall be submitted electronically according to the requirements of the Expedite software and the Bid Express Web site. Bidders' attention is directed particularly to the following sections of the Supplemental Specifications dated June 15, 2012: "Section 2.00 Proposal Requirements and Conditions" and "Section 3.00 Award and Execution of the Contract."

MassDOT projects are subject to the rules and regulations of the Architectural Access Board (521 CMR 1.00 et seq.)

Prospective bidders and interested parties can access this information and more via the internet at WWW.COMMBUYS.COM

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2E SATURDAY JULY 19, 2014